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"AN ACT BANNING CADMIUM IN CHILDREN'S JEWELRY."

1 Strike everything after the enacting clause and substitute the
2 following in lieu thereof:

3 "Section 1. (NEW) (*Effective October 1, 2012*) (a) As used in this
4 section:

5 (1) "Cadmium" means elemental cadmium and any compounds or
6 alloys which contain cadmium; and

7 (2) "Children's jewelry" means any jewelry, including charms,
8 bracelets, pendants, necklaces, earrings or rings, and any component
9 thereof, that is designed or intended to be worn or used by children
10 twelve years of age or younger.

11 (b) Except as provided in subsection (c) of this section, on and after
12 July 1, 2014, no person shall manufacture, sell, offer for sale or

13 distribute in this state any children's jewelry that contains cadmium at
14 more than .0075 per cent by weight.

15 (c) The provisions of this section may be enforced, within available
16 appropriations, by the Commissioner of Consumer Protection.

17 Sec. 2. Section 21a-12c of the 2010 supplement to the general statutes
18 is repealed and the following is substituted in lieu thereof (*Effective*
19 *October 1, 2011*):

20 (a) For the purposes of this section, (1) "infant formula" means a
21 milk-based or soy-based powder, concentrated liquid or ready-to-feed
22 substitute for human breast milk, that is intended for infant
23 consumption and is commercially available, and (2) "baby food" means
24 a prepared solid food consisting of a soft paste or an easily chewed
25 food that is intended for consumption by children two years of age or
26 younger and is commercially available.

27 (b) Except as provided in subsection (c) of this section, [on and after]
28 for the period from October 1, 2011, to September 30, 2014, inclusive,
29 no person shall manufacture, sell, offer for sale or distribute in this
30 state any infant formula or baby food that is stored in a plastic
31 container, jar or can that contains bisphenol-A in the infant formula or
32 food contact area of such plastic container, jar or can. On and after
33 October 1, 2014, no person shall manufacture, sell, offer for sale or
34 distribute in this state any infant formula or baby food that is stored in
35 a plastic container, jar or can that contains bisphenol-A.

36 (c) A person may sell or distribute his or her existing inventory of
37 infant formula or baby food containers, jars or cans containing
38 bisphenol-A as of October 1, 2011, until October 1, 2012, provided such
39 person can demonstrate that such containers, jars or cans were
40 purchased or acquired prior to October 1, 2011, in a quantity
41 comparable to the containers, jars or cans purchased or acquired
42 during the same period of the prior year.

43 (d) The provisions of this section may be enforced, within available

44 appropriations, by the Commissioner of Consumer Protection."

This act shall take effect as follows and shall amend the following sections:		
Section 1	<i>October 1, 2012</i>	New section
Sec. 2	<i>October 1, 2011</i>	21a-12c